

BYM SPRING 2008 SILENT RETREAT: June 13 - 15

True silence ... is to the spirit what sleep is to the body: nourishment and refreshment.

William Penn, 1699

Is your spirit in need of nourishment and refreshment? Come to the Baltimore Yearly Meeting Silent Retreat at Dayspring. We will keep the silence from Friday evening until after worship on Sunday, enjoying the beauty of God's creation, reading, walking, resting, finding our own rhythms, listening for the Still Small Voice.

SPONSOR: Baltimore Yearly Meeting Committee on Ministry & Pastoral Care

FACILITATOR Jean Christianson

WHERE: Dayspring Retreat Center, 11301 Neelsville Church Rd., Germantown, MD 20876

ARRIVAL: 4:00 -7:00 p.m. Friday. (Dinner at 7 p.m.) DEPARTURE: 2:00 p.m. Sunday.

COST: \$175. The fee covers 6 meals, bed linens, blankets, towels and washcloth.

REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED: Now till June 6th (if not filled earlier).

Minimum number is 10 participants. Maximum is 18. Friends will be enrolled in the order in which checks are received.

Bring toilet articles, casual clothes, walking shoes, and a flashlight. Friends sometimes bring personal journals, devotional literature, sketch pads or needlework.

Questions? Call Jean Christianson at 410-544-1912 or e-mail jschristianson@gmail.com .

NEXT RETREAT: October 10 - 13, 2008

DIRECTIONS TO DAYSPRING RETREAT CENTER: From I-270 take the Damascus exit (#15-A), Route 118 to the north. Go 8/10 of a mile on Route 118 to MD Route 355. Turn left on MD Route 355 and go a VERY SHORT block. Turn right on Neelsville Church Rd. Continue 6/10 of a mile on Neelsville Church Rd. to Dayspring Retreat Center. **OR** From I-70 take Route 27 south at Mount Airy. It will merge into 355 (Frederick Rd.) continuing south. Turn left onto Neelsville Church Rd. (just before reaching Route 118) and follow directions above.

The telephone number for Dayspring is (301) 428-9348 in case of emergency.

Make check for \$175 payable to Dayspring Retreat Center and send with registration form to Jean Christianson, 189 Edgewater Rd., Pasadena, MD 21122 (410-544-1912). Checks will be deposited after the retreat.

Name(s) _____ Meeting _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Special Needs _____

(Note: All food is vegetarian.)